LITTLE PLSIS LESLIE MAKES A HIT AT

THE PROGRESS CLUB.

Philip Perne " Sold Outright to Manager

nearly made a speech-an awful possibility,

can properly appreciate. By the bye, when

Mrs. Potter's engagement in San Francisco

Edward Michael, in his bright little Amuse

Changes at the Theatres. FIFTH AVENUE.

NIBLO'S.

There were some new songs with which Rice is credited. The songs, therefore, need no further

THEATRE COMIQUE.

"A Tin Soldier" threw the Harlemites into risi-ble convulsions last night and thereby filled its mission. It is the very absurdity of the piece that causes laughter. There is the very faintest excuse for a plot, the most scanty efforts at reasonable "dialogue," and absolutely no attement at logical sequence. Still "A Tin Soldier" is funny, and so the audience at the Theatre Comique thought last night.

CASINO.

There seems to be some ground for Mr. Gustave

pleases there. for taste.

Mansfield's engagement.

Hill-W. J. Florence Goes to Lendon to

Get "The Den" - The New Play,

Amanuensis "-Sirs. Potter's Western

pretty little sketch, Mr. Dickson says that

Many Pretty Dresses Exhibited at the Lexington Avenue Opera-House-Friends of the Rosedale Club in Calles-Employees of the Buckingham Hotel Dancing—Re-ception of the Crispi Club.

Progress Lodge, No. 389. I. O. O. F., gave an entertainment and ball at Lexington Avenue Opera-House last night, The performance ran very smoothly under the management of Wm. J. Miller. Cappa's Seventh Regiment Band furnished the music. The

Aregiment Band furnished the music. The affair was conducted by the following gentlemen:

Committee of Arrangements—M. L. Gottheif, Chairman; C. A. Porter, Treasurer; J. A. Graf, Secteary; Edward F. Smith, J. W. Van Dyke, Hobert Bloom, Peter G. Yost, J. U. Kerr, L. Harnischfeger.

Harnischfeger.

Floor Manager, Edward F. Smith; Assistant, Peter G. Yost. Floor Committee—James O'Neil, Aaron Cann, Charles H. Murray, L. H. Myens, L. Harnischfeger, Robt. Bloom, Rout Fearns, Robt. Majill, C. H. Flew wellin, S. H. Dorsett, Thos. P. Smith. Reception Committee—Rienard N. Arnow, Chainman; D. Mayer, M. Brucheimer, L. Link, H. Lucy, George F. Merwin, H. Wellenbrook, Simon Harris, William Keck, Isaac Long, S. J. Shank, John Stringer.

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the following:

Mrs. Edward F. Smith, who led the grand march
with her husband, wore black stain, with a deep V
sleeveless corsage and black Spanish lace; ostrich
tips bouquet and diamond ornaments.

Mrs. E. Bernhardt, black silk, with a profusion
of black jet and corsage bouquet of "Jack" and
Marcchal Niel roses.

Mass Deda Frawler, bottle green satin, with a
panel in front of floriated silk.

Mrs. Spencer Field, black silk, with trimmings
of black satin and black lace.

Mrs. Charles Haber, peon satin, trimmed with
white lace.

Mrs. Charles mater, peon sain, whithe with lace, sire D. Gaper, navy blue tricot, with a V-cut neck; corsage bouquet and diamond ornaments, sire Carrie and Mrs Minnie Gager were dressed alike, in white sain, trimmed with white lace. Mrs. Peter G. Yost, can du Nit sain, with electric blue sain trimmings.

Mrs. W. J. Murphy, scarlet silk, with black velett trimmings.

Mrs. W. J. Murphy, baby blue poult de sole, with white lace trimmings.

Miss Mary Quillen, baby blue poult de sole, with white lace trimmings.

Miss Myra Secor, ruby veivet, with the corsage decollete in front and V-shaped at the back and gireveless; a dog collar of ruby veivet, caught with a diamond stud was worn.

Miss Alice il. Arno, white satin, with a white lace overdress; V-cut corsage and trimmings of pink satin; corsage bouquet of 'Jack' roses.

Miss M. O'Rourde, pink poult de sole, with navy blue more antique trimmings.

Mrs. C. Pecare, clack silk, with black jet ornaments.

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Mrs. G. W. Siagle, ashes of roses allk, with a corsage bouquet of Mme. Meimet roses.

Mrs. Oscar T. Brown, ean du Nil salk, with a panel of striped velvet; tablier of sailor's netting; frimmings of pink satia.

Mrs. R. N. Arno, white moire antiques corsage Y shaped and trammed with nortated sik axis lace; tan monsquetaires and diamond ornaments.

Miss Lizzie Martin, light green satin; lace trimmings and diamond ornaments.

Miss Lizzie Walch, peric tricot; black velvet trimmings.

trimmings.
Mrs. L. H. Myers, Gobelin blue silk, with a Mrs. L. H. Myers, Godenia
double V siceveless corsage.
Mrs. H. Myers, seal brown satin, with bronze jet
passementeric trimmings.
Miss Nellis McGuire, black silk trimmed with

black jet and black lace. Mrs. Helen Panhorst, navy blue tricos, with black jet trimmings.
Mrs. Julia Vetts, black silk, with trimmings of black jet.
Miss Mamie Fitzsimmons, navy blue silk, wth
black satin trimmings; diamonds.
Miss Olea Veith, maroon silk, with white lace

Miss Olea vetti, marrow trimmings.

Miss Augusia Bloom, black velvet, with the corsage cut in a deep square and veiled with silk illusion; a dog-collar caught with a bunch of rubles.

Miss Lena Panhorst, askes of roses ecru silk, with White satin trammings.

Miss H. Smith, black silk, with a vest of black

Miss H. Sinits, black silk and black lace.

Mrs. Simon Harris, black silk and black lace.

Mrs. C. Kats. white crepe de Chine, corsage V
shaped and trimmed with white Spanish lace.

Miss F. Borchard, marcon silk with trimmings
of black silk and moire antique.

Mrs. John Gorman, Scotch plaid tricot with navy Miss Mamie Feiley, black silk with black lace; Miss Bouquet of "Jack" roses, Miss Ida Schmidt, black silk and black lace; tan-

colored mousquetaires.

Miss Rose Kelly, a skirt of brown plush, with
consa.c of triest of a lighter shade.

Mrs. James Carsey, black tricot with trimmings

Mrs. James Caresy, of thick jet.

Miss Cecile Gallagher, pink surah, corsage decollete; white silk mousquetaires; dog collar caught with a ruby ring.

Mrs. E. Blauvelt, black silk with black lace.

Miss Lillie Redegeld, maroon silk with a vest of

Miss Kitty Langdridge, baby blue satin, with white lace trimmings.
Miss A. Livingston, black silk and black jer.
Miss Cora Martas Clements, Venus pink faille Francaise trimmed with pearls.
Miss Grace Hoffmire, brown truct trimmed with hite moire ribbons. Miss Mamie Hoffmire, white satin, with white

sain draperies.
Miss Loretta Caddle, black silk, with black lace: diamond ornaments.

Miss Evenn Daly, black silk, with black lace Mrs. Alongo Townley, terra-cotta tricot, with a West of ruby velvet.

Miss Gertle Higgins, pink satin; corsage decol-lete; white Spanish lace tablier; dog collar of black

Mrs. William Loschen, Gobelini blue plush, with Mrs. William Loschen, Godeling blue plans, what electric bine jet ornaments.

Mrs. Mrs. Caser, black silk and black jet.

Mrs. Dan Mayer, baby blue satin, with white lace drateries; diamond ornaments.

Miss isabelle Cranston, seal brown silk, trimmed with morre of the same shade.

Mrs. William H. Cranston, black silk, with black jet ornaments.

jet ornaments.

Miss Addle Myers, garnet silk, diamond orna-

BOSEDALE PLEASURE CLUB. Arlington Hall was jammed last night at the calico reception of the Rosedale Pleasure Club. The following committee received the grants. the guests :

Henry P. Salmon, Chairman; Henry J. Fagan, James Sullivan, John J. Mackin, John E. Don-nelly, John O. Kurtzman, John J. Barry, James Mater, John O. Connell.

Floor Manager Edward J. Fagun and his sister led the grand march. Miss Fagan wore white satin trimmed with white lace. Assistant Floor Manager Charles J. Coote and Miss Hannah Meehan followed. Miss Meehan wore white silk trimmed with Spanish lace and diamond ornaments.

Among the mean grants are sent were.

Among the many guests present were: Among the many guests present were:

Miss Lou Hackett, Miss Julia Hackett, Thomas
F. Quinn, Miss Katie Toland, Miss Julia Marston,
Miss Katie O'Neil, Richard Legg, James Barton,
Miss May Mulin, Chorles Flanagan, Miss Julia M.
Ward, William McGill, James Burke, Frank McConvill, Miss Ella Craig, William J. Dignan, Miss
Tesale Ackernan, Mortis Callahan, Mrs. John
Measher, Martin Neary, Miss Delia Harris, Mr.
and Mrs. Thomas P. Kiernan, John W. Dalton,
Mis Millie Baron, Mr. and Mrs. George Philips,
Fatrick J. New, Miss Nellie Heeney, John DonDelly, Miss Annie Whittey, William Wood, Miss

EVENTS IN THE GAY WORLD. Maggie MoGill, Patrick Casey, Thomas Murphy and Miss Maggie Diamond, of Jersey City. BUCKINGHAM HOTEL EMPLOYEES DANCE.

The employees of the Buckingham Hote? had a pleasant dance last evening at Lyric Hall, which was rightly decorated with flags, buntings and coats of arms of all nations. Prof. McAuliffe furnished the music.

The march was led by John F. Winkler, with his pretty wife. John Byren and Miss. Mary McElhatten followed. Handsome bouquets were presented to Mrs. Charles Wesherbee and Mrs. L. E. Fuller, by the employees. employees.
Among those present were:

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Miss Mamie Burges, Miss Alice Raynes, Miss Mary Raynes, Miss Nelly Murphy, Miss Anny Mallon, Miss B. Mallon, Miss Lillie Wheelan, Mrs. Addy Duncan, Miss Susle Smith, Miss Annie Glesson, Miss Mark Harrett, Miss Marie Dalmanu, Miss Agnes Flemming, Miss Louise Clark, Miss Katie Keenan, Miss Marie Kuentr, Miss Mary Reegan, Miss Maggie Brown; Joseph J. Ivison, President; Chiss, J. McGrath, Vice-President; M. J. Mallon, Recording Secretary; J. J. Trainor, Financial Secretary; Gerald Byrnes, Tressurer; Patrick Connelly, Sergeant-at-Arms; Miss Mary Muldoon, Miss Annie Ryan, Miss Margie Barrett, Miss Annie McMahon, Miss Annie Staufenberg, Miss Annie McMahon, Miss Annie Staufenberg, Miss Manie Lynch, Miss Frances Dorsey, Miss Maggie Comenford, Miss Nellie Dallon, Miss Lizzle McGrath, Miss Mary Paterson, Miss J. E. Scannel, Miss Louise Le Biut.

The floor was under the management of

The floor was under the management of John F. Winkler, while George F. James acted as assistant.

The following committee received the guests :

guests:
Patrick Clark, O. Heery, John McManus, James McOs rich, John Gasfney, John McGavick, James J. Madden, Bernand Mallan, Benjamin Russel, Francis McNaily and John Connors.

JOLLY FELLOWS IN MASKS. JOLLY FELLOWS IN MASKS.

There was lots of fun last evening at the second masquerade ball of the Jolly Fellows of the Fourteenth Ward. Floor Manager Joseph Wall led the grand march with his sister, who was a Spanish princess for the evening. John W. Maxwell was Assistant Floor Manager and this committee looked after the guests:

John J. Coyle, Chairmin; Thomas Smith, Jr., Paul S. Moran, Edward F. Feeney, Patrick Rooney, Michael F. Murphy, Daniel McDonaid, William Stemme, Henry Murphy, Anthony Hyland, Harry White, A. Silverstein, Albert Witcinsky.

CRISPI PLEASURE CLUB.

The Crispi Pleasure Club gave a ball at Irving Hali last night. The hall was decoriving riant last flight. The nail was deco-rated tastefully, the American colors pre-douznating. The grand march which was especially arranged by Mr. Joe Mezzacapo, was led by M. Valerio with Miss Loretta was lead by M. Valerio with Miss Loretta Nugent. The latter wore a white satin skirt, with a lace overdress and an olive green plush corsage, V shaped and laced in front and back. Sha had pink lace mousquetaires on her arms, and around her neck a black velvet dog collar eaught with a diamond cross, Others present were:

dog collar caught with a diamond cross. Others present were:
Miss Aftec Clark, Miss Glulia Grimeny, Miss Angelina Lapert, Miss Speranza Valerio, Miss Veronicha Cassano, Miss R. Cassano, Miss Mambe Hunt. Miss Josephine Williams, Miss Fauline Newman, Mrs. Annie Kleinhann, Miss Mary Gertner, Miss Emilia Disantis, Miss Maria Disantis, Miss F. G. Muzziotta, Miss Maria Nardine, Miss Louisa Nardine, Miss Louisa Nardine, Miss Cretana Oraji, Lafayette Nurent, Mrs. Josephine Barrett, Miss Kate chea, Mass Lizze Holland, Miss Mamie L. Harris, E. Valserio, President; Ilario Panzironi, Vice-President; D. Abbate, Recording Secretary; J. Aliano, Treaszter; P. A. Tesone, Corresponding Secretary; V. Ambruso, Vice-Treasurer; L. Bavini, Financial Secretary; E. Massetti, Sergeant-at-Arms.

WASHINGTON RIFLES ON ISSPECTION.

The eleventh aimual ball of the First Battalion of the Germania Schützen Bund (Washington Rifles) at Walkalia Hall last night was well attended. An exhibition drill and an inspection, under the direction of Major M. J. Porges, preceded the dancing. The affair was managed by the following members: bers: Floor Manager, Capt. Charles Roerecke; Assis

Floor Manager, Capl. Charles Roctects, Assistant Floor Manager, ex-Lieut. Julius Bankmann. Floor Committee—L. Weltz, Ab. Ctoter, H. Geldemann, G. Reinfart, F. Schinabeck, Alb. Otte. Reception Committee—Capt. Aug. Erdmann, Chairman; M. Strammel, Ch. Haupter, J. Hauck, M. Rosenstein, Jos. Truachel, A. Roni, L. Hartschuck, P. Jordan, L. Dannenberg, H. Joepp.

Among the many guests were Coroner Levy, Martin J. Keese, Col. Stewart, of the Eleventh Regiment; Major Hansleuter, Gen. Franz Sigel, Capt. Kiesow, Capt. Gerstin, Capt. A. E. Kuehne, Phil Salling and W.

Floor Manager, Abram Levy; Assistants, J. Jacobs and Max Hollender; Chairman Arrangements Committee, Sam Goldman; Assistants, Hen Rosenweig and Jos. Wollnaky. Among the many present were:

Miss Dora Segil, Miss Rose Leventhal, Miss Jen-nie Rosenberg, Miss Bertha Rosenberg, Miss Ida Goldberg, Islacke Brown, Jacob Powgutz, A. L. Levy, I. Sugeman, I. Jacobs, A. Kaplan, Marcy Rosenblum, L. Posner, A. Cohen, I. Scott, B. Finklestein, Mack Green and C. Goldman.

YOUNG VIOLET PLEASURE CLUB. pink satin.

Miss Kate McDevitt, black silk, with black lace.

Miss Ada Hoffmire, ean du Nil satin, with white lace draperies; diamonds.

Miss Annie Hoolahan white crepe de chine: a white lace latiot.

Miss. J. M. Wintroth, black silk, with black jet and diamond ornments.

Miss Kitty Langdridge, baby blue satin, with white lace trimmings.

Miss A. Livingston, black silk and black jet.

Miss can be the New Atlantic Hail. The grand march was led by Sam Goldman and Miss Mary Leventhal. Music was furtished by Prof. Goodman. During the intermission there was a jig contest between Abe Cohen, aged seven years, and his sister, who is one year his senior, and Abe was subsequently presented with a silver medal by sequently presented with a silver medal by the President of the club, Max Simon.

A SURPRISE PARTY TO MISS RICE. The Mignonette Social Society gave a sur-prise party to Miss Sarah Rice at her resi-dence, 411 East Fiftieth street, on Sunday evening. Among the pretty young ladies present were:

present were:

Miss Lewis, Miss T. Samuels, Miss Schutz, Miss
Baun, Miss Troques, Miss Mandelbaum, Miss Oppenheimer, Miss Frank, Miss Freundlich, Miss
B. Samuels, Miss Mandel and Miss Hanauer.

Toasts were offered by the following gentlemen:

tlemen:
Messra. Lewis, Freundlich, Marka, H. L. Schutz,
Straums, Frank M. L. Schutz, Sugenheimer, Gold,
Stern, Kallaki and Abarbenel. The spacious parfors were elaborately deco

rated with roses intermingled with migno-nettes. Dancing was kept up until the wee nettes. Dancing v hours of morning. MAGNOLIA MINSTRELS.

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The Magnolia Minstrees gave an entertainment and ball last night at Clarendon Hall under the management of Louis Walters and Bernard Smith. Thomas Arnold was interlocutor: Charles McKenna and James H. Flattery, bones, and Ike Pox and H. Joyce, tambourines. The performance was much applauded. Wm. H. Ford, the floor manager, led the grand march, with the assistance of William H. Williams.

NONDESCRIPT, BUT SOCIABLE. Nondescript Club met at 231 East
The Nondescript Club met at 231 East
Thirty-eighth street last night. The following are the officers for the present year: Dan
Martin, President: John E. Prendeville,
Treasurer: William McMahon, Secretar,
Among the members are William T. Ryan,
Phil Reville, Dan O'Brien and John Martin.

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Mr. Riker.

DEAR STS: I desire to say to you that I have tried a number of so-called blood purifiers, but have never yet found one worth taking until I came scross your "COMP. SARE APARILLA." I found that sreally good and honest medicite, and consider one bottle of the same worth more than ALL the other Seraparillas and Blood Medicines on the market. You're.

G. DUGUESNE. \*.\*

TOLD BEHIND THE SCENES.

night before a large audience. Miss Lillian Russell, Nr. Rugene Oudlu, Harry Paulton, William Hamilton and Miss Agnes Stone were all received very coordially. The stage was very effectively set, the artists were all in excellent voice and the audicuce went nome thoroughly satisfied. BEST-KNOWN CITY BARBERS.

Charles Alderton, Who Has Had One Shop Gray-limited Charles Alderton, who is the proprietor of a barber-shop in South William street, may be numbered among the veterans of the trade in this city. In fact, his shop is the oldest of the downtown establishments, for the basement which he now occupies has been his place of business for twenty-five

years, while his experience as a barber in this city dates back more than thirty years.

Although he is now compelled to use spectacles when he gets in his finest work upon the craniums of his fast dious customers, he is still in vigorous health, and says that while he has many patrons in whose tomers, he is still in vigorous health, and says that while he has many patrons in whose families he has shaved or shingled three generations and is now clipping the fourth, he is ready and expects to perform the same services for the fifth, and he looks as if he would do it.

Mr. Alderton came from England to this country nearly forty years ago, and soon after his arrival, deciding to become a barber, started to learn the trade in one of the downtown shops.

downtown shops.

In those days much less was required of a barber of the first class than at the present time, and his apprenticeship was comparatively brief. In 1857 he was in the famous old

tively brief. In 1857 he was in the famous old Merchants' Exchange bartier shop, which at that time was kept by Thatford.

When that establishment was broken up in 1862 by the purchase of the building by the United States Government for a custom-house and all the tenants were turned out. Alderton went into business for himself in the very basement where he now does busi-

the very basement where he now does business.

At that time Delmonico's restaurant, in Hanover Square, was the resort of all prominent downtown business men and the distinguished strangers who came to town. Being close at hand, Mr. Alderton secured the paironage of many of the frequenters of that celebrated restaurant, and he can recall many a famous merchant and public official as having been among his customers, including bank presidents, ship owners, cotton kings, collectors and United States Cabinet officers.

Like most Englishmen, he is extremely conservative and doesn't believe in moving around. He keeps his old customers, who around. He keeps his old customers, who are principally to be found among the business men in the immediate vicinity. He goes on the principle that it is a big mistake to in

terrupt the repose of a customer while under manipulation by idle and unprofitable con-STEINWAY-ROESLER.

Wedding Which Attracts Congratulations trom Europe as Well as America.

Mr. George A. Steinway, the eldest son of Mr. William Steinway, is to be married this afternoon to Miss Ottilie Roesler, daughter of Mr. August Roesler, of the firm of Wm.

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Wicke & Co. The ceremony will take place
at the residence of the bride's parents, 17
East Seventy-third street, at 3 o'clock.
The bride will be attended by Miss
Gertrude Roesler as maid of honor, and by
Miss F. Ehret and Miss L. Wicke as bridesmaids. Mr. Fred T. Steinway will be best
man for his cousin, and the ushers will be
Messrs. A. H. Burkard and Elias Rothschild.
The ceremony at the house will be followed

The ceremony at the house will be followed by a dinner at Delmonico's and a reception in the evening.

Many telegrams of congratulations have been received not only from all parts of this country, but from friends of both families in Hamburg, London, Petersburg, Berlin, Dres-den, Vienna, Paris and other cities of

Europe.

Among the witnesses of the ceremony and Among the witnesses of the ceremony and guests at the wedding dinner will be Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Steinway, Mr. and Mrs. A. Roesler, Mr. L. von Bernuth, Miss P. Steinway, Mrs. L. A. Steinway, Miss Hattie Steinway, Miss Ella Steinway, Miss Fr. Kreischer, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wicke, Mr. and Mrs. H. Walter, Mr. J. Ottman, Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Steinway, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ziegler, Mr. Jacob Ziegler, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Cassebeer, Mr. J. Wasserman, Mr. Fred T. Steinway, Mr. Henry W. T. Steinway, Mr. and Mrs. R. Ranft.

The presents received by the bride were very beautiful and very numerous, coming from Germany and England as well as the United States.

Children Have a Surprise Party.

About thirty-five tots, ranging from eight to twelve years of age, tendered a surprise party to little Edna Heymann, at her residence, 331 East One Hundred and Sixteenth street, on Saturday evening. The children were very prettily attired and had a delight-

ful evening.

Miss Nellie Vandam, aged seven years, sang
a solo and gave a piano recital. Miss Edna
Emanuel, another tot of nine years, showed Heymann interested the children with a vio-

Among the children present were Ray Prince, Ray Levy, Edna Harris and brother, Amy Lubeski and brother, Lulu Lewis and others.

The children, through the committee,
Edna Emanuel, Nellie Lipson and Amy Lebelski, presented Miss Heymann with an
external album. sutograph album.

Coming Events.

Annual ball of the employees of Walhalla Hall on April 29.

Hali of the Harry M. Keyman Association at Hariem River Park next Saturday night. Reception of the Aiva Social Club at Brooken's Assembly Rooms, Broome street, on April 25. Smoking concert of the Amateur League at the Hotel Hungaria on Thursday evening, April 19. Entertainment of the St. Peter's Literary Union at the Lexington Avenue Opers-House to-night. Closing informs reception of the Cremeux Dramatic and Social Union at its rooms, 206 East Eighty-sixth street, on Sunday, April 22.

Annual reception of the Æolian Glee Club at Association Hail, One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street and Fourth avenue, on Thursday, April19. Grand entertainment and ball by THE WORLD Quartet, Messrs, Campen Connors, Breenan and Miller, at Dixon's Hall, 2:9 Bleecker street, this

Entertainment and ball of the Leroy, formerly St. Joseph's Union, at the Lexington Avenu-Orers-House on April 22. \*\*The Game of Love will be presented.

Sixth reception of the Bloomingdale Bros.' Employees' Mutual Aid Society on Wednesday evening, April 18, at Fernando's Hall, Fifty-afth street and Third avenue.

Calico reception of the Lady Standard Association at Irving Hall this evening. The proceeds will be used in part to pay members of L. A. 5,806 who have not yet received the money due them walle on strike.

Leap year party by the Cosmopolitan Social Club at the residence of E. Trojille on April 25, 1888, at 46 West Fifty-sevent at. The committee directing this affair consists of: Chairman, M. W. Beckardt; Assistant, J. M. Trujillo; J. Jones, E. Lepor'n, E. Sanches and James Meivin.

A SAFE' Sure cure for coughs and colds, ADAMSOKS' BOTANIC NALBAM. KINSMAN, 25th st., 4th sve.

There was a good audience at Poole's Theatre last night to see Dion Bouckault's "Long Strike." The play went well and the audience gave unstinted applicate. TONT PASTOR'S. There was an excellent programme at Tony Pas-tor's last night. "Laugh week," as the manage-ment call it, began very auspictously.

POOLE'S THEATRE.

Brooklyn Theatres.

LEE AVENUE ACADEMY OF MUSIC. T the Progress Club T the Progress Club Sunday night little Elsie Leslie appeared as the child in "Editha's Burglar."

She was presented by the club with \$100 in money, a gold watch and a diamon't ring.

Charles Dickson, of the Lyceum Theatre, also appeared in the process. At the Lee Avenue Academy of Music Miss Lotta appeared last night in "Pawn Ticket 210." Tals laughable play gives the sprightly little comedicane.

he drank two glasses of champague, which affected him so alarmaffected him so alarmingly that he very BROOKLYN THEATER.

At the Brooklyn Theatre Leonard Grover's play,
"Lost in New York," was presented last night,
and it was received with genuine enthusiasm. It
is just the kind of play for the Brooklyn Theatre—
full of incident, inclodramatic and well written.
The Blackwell's Island scene, with an East River which only Mr. Dickson's immediate friends E. H. Sothern appears in Boston next mouth with "The Highest Bidder," he intends producing "Editha's Burglar" with little of real tank water and boats going backward and forward, was warmly applauded. Miss Patrice, a Brooking girl, appeared as the waf. Others who did creditably were Thomas Wise. George Wright, Waiter Fessier, Frank Dayton, E. R. Saattuck, Eugenia Lindeman, Marie Atchison, Howard Jerrall and Clifford Johnson. CHITERIOS.

Elsie in the cast.

Mrs. Fiske has sold her play, "Philip Herne," outright to Manager J. M. Hill.

As Mr. Palmer has arranged with Mr. Hill to rent him the Madison Square Theatre, beginning April 30, Miss Effe Ellsler will not appear at that theatre on the date for which sue had contracted—May 6. She will probably be seen there in July, following Richard Manafald's engagement. "Kit," the perennial, bobbed up serenely at the Criterion Theatre last night, with Henry Chanfrau in the title rôle. "Kit" is simost as well known as "Uncle Tom's Cabin," so there is no need to say much about it. Mr. Chanfrau was well received. "The Octoroon" will be given towards the end of the week. Wayne Ellis, who always talks big, says that

wayne Eins, who always talks big, says that he is looking about for a city theatre in which to produce his play, "Donnybrook," which, he thinks, Tony Hart, made a great mess of. Mr. Ellis talked enough about this play yes-terday to fill half a dozen decently bulky GRAND OPERA-HOUSE.

"The Old Homestead," Denman Thompson's metropolitan success, was given at the Grand Opera-House last night with the success it most undoubtedly deserves. The Grand Opera-House was filled. Mr. Thompson was supported by Messre. Gale, Beane and Lennox. HYDE & BRHMAN'S.

W. J. Florence has gone to Europe to look after a play called "The Don." now running at Toole's Theatre, London. Mr. Florence is to produce the play here under another It was a great night at Hyde & Behman's for the baldheads last night. The Lilly Clay Company ap-peared in "The Little Devil's Revel." There was a good host of specialty people, including the Muranda Sisters and Irma Van Rokoy. NOVELTY THEATRE.

There is a bare possibility that "Paul Kauvar" will be done in London. It has already been given there for copyright pur-\*\* Daddy Nolan " was seen at Proctor's Novelty Theatre last night. Dan Sully did his usual clever work and was well received. There was some ex-cellent incidental music. AMPRION ACADEMY. "Amanuensis," a new play to be produced at Dockstader's next Monday, is said to be from the pen of Franklin File, an able and thoroughly conscientious critic. Mr. File's name will give more weight to the play than that of John Lynd, the reputed author. "The Mystery of a Hansom Cab" was produce at the Ampaion Academy last night. More of the

GRAND THEATRE. "A Checkered Life" was the attraction at the Grand Theatre last night. The life in question was decidedly checkered, and the audience ap-plauded and sympathized with it.

IN NO HURRY TO INVESTIGATE.

The Senate Acurduct Committee May Begin Work Next Saturday.

that of John Lynd, the reputed author.

Col.McCaull has already received numerous letters requesting him to reserve seats for the opening night of his season at Wallack's Theatre, May 7, when Sydney Rosenfeld's opera, "The Lady or the Tiger," will be produced. The cast will include the following named artists: The Misses Marco, Madeline Luciett, Maud Wilson, Mathilde Cottrelly and Messrs, Eugene Oudin, De Wolf Hopper, Francis Gaillard, Alfred Klein, Jefferson de Angelis, Murray Woods, Louis Shrader and Lindsey Monson. Like all legislative investigations the Senatorial investigation into the management of the new Aqueduct and the acts of the Commissioners is tardy in beginning work. The missioners is tardy in beginning work. The special committee consists of Senators Fassett, of Elmira; Hendricks of Syracuse; Van Cott, of New York, Republicans, and Pierce, of Brooklyn, and McNaughton, of Rochester, Democrats. Senator Fassett, who is to boss the investigation, held a long conference last evening with ex-Senator Thomas C. Platt at the Fifth Avenue Hotel.

Senator Fassett was seen by an Evening World reporter. hrs. Potter's engagement in San Francisco has been cut down to one week only. She opened there last night. The second week which she was to have played at the Baldwin will be given to Los Angeles. (Happy Los Angeles.) Mrs. Potter returns home by way of Denver, where she will play for a week.

Senator Fassett was seen by an Even-ing World reporter.
"We will probably," he remarked, "begin The first regular rehearsal of "The Queen's Mate" took place at the Broadway Theatre yesterday. The big staircase, which reaches to the top of the stage, was put up and the trembling damsels were taught how to effectively make their entrance by its means. our investigation next Saturday, but we have not decided where our investigation will be

It is said that the committee has already decided to elect Mr. Benjamin F. Tracy, of Brooklyn, as one of their special counsel.

The Wisest Man.

ment Gazette, says that Messrs. Van Biene and Lingard have made barrels of money in Eng-land with "Pepita." The piece evidentl pleases there. Well, there's no accounting (From the Hoston Courier.)
"Who was the wisest man?" asked the Sunday-

\*\*Solomon," promptly replied a little girl.

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\*\*And who was the hollest ?"

\*\*Moses."

\*\*Moses? What makes you think so?"

\*\*Because I often heard papa speak of \*Holy

Not Sent to Jail.

There seems to be some ground for Mr. Gostave A. Mortimer's vehemently expressed bettef that his stars, Mr. Louis James and Miss Marie Wainwright are the "coming couple." Certainly teel production at the Fifth Avenue Theatre last night of Knowlee's tragedy, "Virghing," showed them to great advantage, and angured well for the inture. "Virginius" was given in a thoroughly intelligent manner. Mr. James and Miss Wainwright were not studiely subservient to traditions. They had ideas of their own, and were not afraid to use them. Mr. James has a deep, emotional voice, not painfully stagey, or conventionally trage, or singsongey, but one that varies with the varying phases of his characterization. Miss Wainwright as Virginia was charmingly ingenuous. The supporting company was satisfactory and the mob thoroughly well trained. Judge Patterson has granted a stay of proceedings pending appeal from his decision that Dempsey & Carroll must produce their books or go to jail for contempt of court. George D. Carroll writes to THE EVENING WORLD that the suit is against John Dempsey, and that the cornoration of Dempsey & Carroll is in no way concerned.

Comedian Parker on Ward's Island. Richard Parker, the theatrical manager and comedian, of 86 Fourth avenue, was prot insane yesterday and was taken to the Ward's Island Asylum to-day.

"Evangeline," Rice's rather familiar burlesque, was produced at Niblo's last night, and the fact that it seems to be as popular as ever was made tolerably conspicuous. George K. Fortescue was the Catharine, hits. Bessle Tannehill the Evangeline, Miss Annie Boyd Gabriel, James S. Mañit the Lone Fisnerman, and Richard Goiden Leblane.

There were some new songs with which Rice is Answers to Correspondents. S. P.—"I pay rent from the 10th to the 10th, and my receipts are an dated and so state. I have my receipt up to May 16. Can my landlord dispossess me May 1?" Certainly not.

sees me May 1?" Certainly not.

Jonas.—March 30, 1882, came on a Priday. Good
Priday that year was April 6. For a list of days
Easter Sunday falls on during this century send
postpaid and addressed envelope.

E. J.—''l wish to go to Europe on business. My
wife refuses to go with me because she Yould have
to leave her mother. Can she stop me how going
by law?" She might get a judge to put you under
bonds to support her during your sissence. She
cannot have you arrested because you want to go.

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'Dorothy," with J. C. Duff's Comic Opera Company, was produced at the Grand Opera-House tast

SPORTS IN AND OUT OF TOWN.

The Eugene Hornbecker and young White skin-

tight glove fight should be a good one.

Meyers will again be de New York in a theritime. The Manhattane intend to give the thrustnewy runner a good send-off when he reaches these shores.

Jack Ashton's recent challenge to Jake Kilrain for a battle tor \$5,000 a side, under the London prize-ring rules, has been accepted by Kilvain, who proposes to have the fight in England or France. He will allow Ashton \$1,00 for expenses.

The next six-day race will be started at New

Trance. He will allow Ashton \$1,000 for expenses.

The next six-day race will be started at New Bediord, Mass., on April 23. It is to be one of twelve hours per day. George Skinner is the projector. He will give \$750 in cash prizes. The entrance fee is \$10, to be made to George Skinner, care the Rink, New Bediord, Mass.

It is hoped that the Nassau Athletic Club will change the date selected for its spring games—May 12—as the Cedarhuist evens are down for that day. The liberality of the Rockaway liunt Club in offering the prizes it has for this athletic meeting should be encouraged in every possible way.

meeting should be encouraged in every possible way,
The boat-houses on Travers Island—as the New York Athletic Club has named its new possessions on the Sound—are going rapidly forward. The boat-nouses will be ready by the time that the oarsmen want to use them, but the one-fittu—f a mile track for the runners is not likely to be completed before July or August.

A prominent Boaton sporting mah, who is spending a few days in town, says: "Preparations are going on at the 'Hub' to give Sullyan a big reception on his arrival, probably on Saturday. He will be tendered a big benefit at Music Hall soon afterwards. Then I think he'll have to fight. No, people in Boaton, outside of the 'gang' that he cled for nim, are not sorry for him. Indeed, few Boatonians know that New Yorkers and the Americans generally look on him as a fallen man."

'Lou" Meyers used to say: "A young man starting in to become an eth-ete wants to know just exactly what he is fitted for, and here is but one way of his finding that out. He wants to try experiments with himself at different distances until he fluids out to a critainty what he is best at, ard then to sites to it." It would be well if many New York amateurs were to take more than passing notice of this advice. Nany of them enter and then to stick to it." It would be well if many New York amateurs were to take more than passing notice of this advice. Many of them enter sprint contexts because they like them, and never win, and then set disgusted with themselves, while if they would only try distance running they would find the results quite different.

FLAGS FOR GRAMMAR SCHOOL NO. 59. The Presentation Accompanied by Speeches

and Songs by Visiters and Pupils. The bright-faced little pupils of the primary department of Grammar School No. 59, in East Fifty-seventh street, assembled in the

schoolroom yesterday for an unusual ceremony. Other schools had been presented with sets of flags, and it was the turn of No. 59 this morning.

School Trustee Joseph Fettretch purchased the colors, and Gen. Clinton B. Fisk made the presentation speech, which was responded to by Trustee Jeremiah Fitzpatrick. Songs and recitations were rendered by the pupils, after which Mr. Elmer Allen made an address on the significance of the flags. School Inspector Ward followed with a few remarks about American ideas, and W. Harris

Roome also spoke, Among those present were: Among those present were:

Gen. Schuyler Hamilton, Col. Homer, of the
Seventy-first Regiment Veterans; Capt. Pratt,
Trassurer of the Michigan Central; Fortham Morris, Commissioners Ch.s. L. Hott and De Witt
Seligman, Inspectors Fleischauer and D. W. C.
Ward, Trustees Joseph Fettretch, Jeremian Flizpatrick and Issac P. Chambers; Dr. O'Leary, Chas.
Young and Wm. Oppenhelmer.

A Rallet-Dancer's Boy Afraid to Go Home Eleven-year-old Louis Weber, of Tenth street near First avenue, was found crying in Delance street last night. He said that his mother was ballet-dancer, and that as he had been bad he was atraid to go home, as his mother would whip him. He was arraigned at fasex. Market this morning and held for examination.

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friends. Suddenly she starts, and the quick blood leaves her face and rushes to her heart, her coloriess lips quiver, and the dark violet eyes are fixed upon the form of a man who, mounted upon a handsome horse, is cantering slowly by.

Firmly he sits his horse; but, turning slightly, he catches the look of Claudine Irving, and his own face pales, and for an instant he seems dizzy; but an effort recovers him, the spurs sink deep into the flanks of his horse, and so on the man and the woman are lost to sight in the busy throng of the handsomest.

"He here? Edwin Mountier all."

servants in livery. One of the handsomest houses on Murray Hill was hers, and in society she was a petted belle; for her husband, twenty years her senior, heaped about her every luxury that wealth could purchase.

But was she happy—this regal-looking, beautiful woman, not yet twenty years of age?

Let the sequel show, and watch her lovely face as she rolls through the Park in her splendid equipare, bowing sweetly here and there to those whom she meets who are her

her regal beauty was on every tongue; but yet so beautiful, she was not too good nor too lovely to become the wife of Edwin Mountjoy, who had made a good beginning in the world as a schoolmaster.

Edwin was as good and noble as he was handsome; and when he asked the old folks at the farm for their daughter Chaudine, they gave a ready consent; and, happy in each other's love, the days passed pleasantly.

But a change came. A weaithy physician from New York sought the country for his health, and engaged rooms at the old farmhouse. With his brilliant conversation, his gentlemanly manners, horses and servants, he soon turned the head of the fair but fickle Claudine; and when Dr. Irving asked her to become his wife, poor Mountjoy was forgotten, and she consented.

Dazzled by his wealth the good old folks were but too willing to see their daughter marry the "great New York doctor," and in their happiness no one thought of broken hearted Edwin until it was said he had left the village.

Word soon came that he had sailed from Boston in a vessel bound to China, and then only did the fickle girl find out how dearly

her lover and brother from her earliest childhood.

They were married, Claudine and Dr.
Irving, and she not yet seventeen, and the
lovely bride accompanied her husband on a

THIRD AVENUE THEATRE.

lovely bride accompanied her husband on a tour through Europe.

A year after, she settled down, the head of her magnificent establishment in New York. Her husband, though wrapped up in his practice, was devoted to society, and it gave him pleasure to see his wife entertain his numerous friends and thus she became a married belle.

A rumor had come to her that poor Edwin had been lost at sea; and then did she deeply mourn her conduct towards him and too late find out that no other love could ever cause her to forget him.

As years went by she became a contented woman, a good wife; but happiness such as a true woman craves was not hers; there was always that dull, saddening pain at her heart.

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"Certainly, my dear, But why this fit of weeping and sudden desire to go abroad?"

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"Drive home, John." And as the beauty gave the order to her coachman, her voice sounded strange to her.

Once in her palatial boudoir, Claudine threw herself, robed as she was, upon a divan, and shed bitter, scalding tears; and thus her husband found her when he returned home at night.

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It proved merely a fainting fit; and though

and I can never pass. This gay life is a mockery to me. I will leave New York and return to the dear old farm and cheer the old age of my good parents."

No entreaties, no threats, could make Claudine change her mind; and, at last, the doctor gave a reluctant consent and accompanied her to her girlhood's home, where he left her with her parents. Not long did she cheer the old hearthstone, though, for her health failed, and in one short year she slept in the village churchyard.

And of Edwin Mountjoy? Almost brokenhearted at Claudine's treatment of him, he left America. The ship in which he sailed was actually wrecked, but he, with a few others, was saved. Possessing great literary talent, he went to London and devoted himself to labor and in a few years began to make a reputation as a writer.

Then he returned to America. After meeting Claudine in the Park, a morbid desire to be near her seized upon him, and he sought her on the Continent. When at last she returned to the old homestead, and gradually faded away and died, he returned also to the home of his youth, and while devoting himself to his literary labors. keeps a jealous watch upon her lonely grave.